(ख) और (ग) राष्ट्रीय वन नीति के कारण वन आधारित कच्चे माल की आपूर्ति कम हो रही है। इसलिए, कम सीमा-शुल्क दर पर खुले सामान्य लाइसेंस के अधीन लकड़ी की लुगदी और रद्दी कागज का आयात करने की अनुमति दी गयी है। सरकार कृषि अवशिष्टों, खोई तथा अन्य गैर-परंपरागत कच्च माल के इस्तेमाल को प्रोत्साहित करती है। खोई, कृषि अवशिष्टों तथा अन्य गैर-परम्परागत कच्चे माल की न्यूनतम 75% लुगदी पर आधारित कागज एककों को नयी औद्योगिक नीति के अनुसार लाइसेंसीकरण से छूट दी गयी है।

Land grabbing in Kanpur Cantonment

527. PROF. SOURENDRA BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have initiated any action to check land grabbing in the defence area within Kanpur Cantonment, if not, the reasons therefor;

(b) whether some of the illegal occupants are getting themselves protected by the litigations; and

(c) what action Government propose to take to bring about comprehensive measures for dealing appropriately and uprooting the land grabbers?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHARAD PAWAR): (a) to (c) A Statement is attached.

Statement

The Government have initiated action under the provisions of The Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthorised occupants) Act, 1971 and The Cantonments Act 1924 to stop land grabbing and encroachments in Kanpur Cantonment. In addition, preventive measures, such as fencing of road side strips of vacant lands, intensive tree planting, regular inspection of the sites, etc. have been taken to protect the vacant lands vulnerable to encroachment.

The persons aggrieved by actions taken under the aforesaid Acts have the legal right to seek relief in Civil Courts, which may cause delay in the removal of encroachments.

The Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthorised Occupants) Act, 1971 has been specifically enacted to provide for the eviction of encroachers from public premises, including Defence lands. There appears to be no need to enact any new legislation. Preventive, measures, as outlined above, are being intensified.

Non-Inclusion of Export Administrators in Planning Commission

528. PROF. SOURENDRA BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that no expert administrators, with both urban and rural expertise from the eastern region have been included in the panel of the Planning Commission;

(b) whether Government propose to include a few more experts as full time member so as to give Planning Commission an all India look and representation; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ): (a) No, Sir.

(b) The Commission has been fully constituted and there is no proposal at present to incude any more Member. Moreover, Members to the Planning Commission are appointed on the basis of their expert knowledge in certain functional areas relavant to the planning process and are not drawn on a regional basis.

(c) Does not arise.